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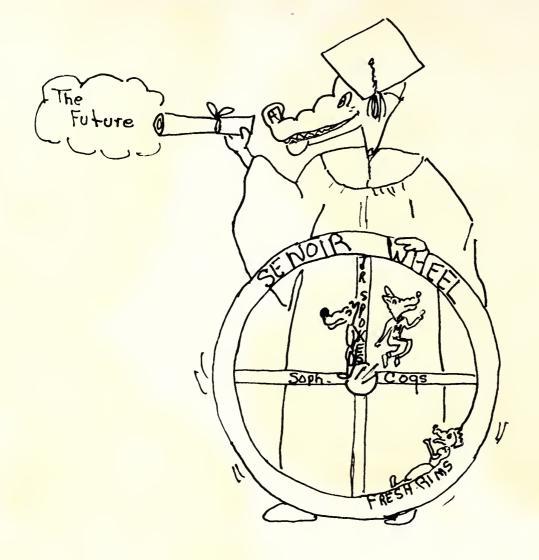
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BETTY MILLER ALLISON Home Ec. Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Officer 2; Future Teachers Club 4; Home Room Officer 2.

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ZELDA ANDERSON
"Tumpy"
Future Teachers Club 4; Secretary of Future Teacher's Club 4;
Office Worker 4; Junior Marshall 3; Allied Youth 4.

FRANKLIN DEAN AUSTIN

Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Soccer 3, 4;

Football 3, 4; Physical Educa-

tion Teacher 3; Monogram Club

2, 3, 4; Junior Play 3; Allied Youth 1; Tennis 1.

"Buddy"



BURRELL ARROWOOD Football 2, 3; Future Teacher's Club 4; Spanish Club 2; Allied Youth 3, 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; Baseball 1.

BARBARA BLACK
"Bob"

Basketball 1, 2; Monogram Club
1, 2, 3, 4; Future Teachers Club
4; Office Worker 3, 4; Softball
1, 3.



MARY LOU BEAMAN Glee Club 1, 4; Accompanist 1, Secretary and Treasurer 4; Band 2, 3, 4; State Music Contest 2, 3; District Contest 4; State High School piano contest 2; State contest—accompanist 1, 2; Class Treasurer 2; Student Council 3; National Honor Society 3, 4; Senior Superlative—Most Talented 4; Hylander Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Circulation Manager 4; Allied Youth Club 2, 3, 4; Future Teacher's Club 4; F. H. A. 4; Sub-Deb Club 3, 4.

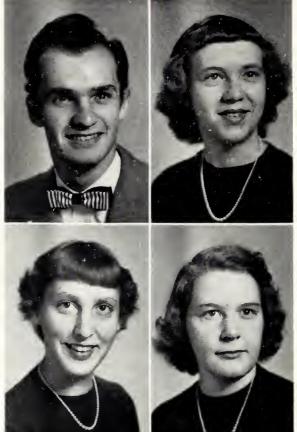
MINNIE JANE BOWMAN Band 2, 3, 4; State Music Contest 2, 3, 4; District Music Contest 4; Shrine Bowl Game 3; Basketball 1, Monogram Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Allied Youth 1, 2, 3, 4; President 2; Future Teachers Club 3 4; Bible Club 4; President; National Forensic League 2, 3, 4; Secretary 3; President 4; National Forensic League Congress 2, 3, 4; Official Congress Medal 3; N. F. L. degrees-Honor, Excellence, Distinction, Debater's Club 2, 3, 4; Debate Team 3, 4; Second Place district debates 3; Key Club Medal for Oratory 3; National Honor Society 3, 4; Torch Staff 4; Class President 3, 4; Senior Superlative—Best All Around; Girl's State 3; Governor World Peace Speaking Contest 2, 3; District Winner 3.

WAYNE BRADBURN sentative 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; Weight Lifting 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Officer, Pres. 2.

MARY BUFF Mixed Chorus 1; Glee Club 1;

F. H. A. Club, Bible Club, Allied Youth, Future Teachers Club, Spanish Club 2, Office as-

sistant.



JIMME RUTH BURNETTE Bible Club; F. H. A. Club; Allied Youth Club; Glee Club; Spanish

Club 2; Mixed Chorus 3, 4.

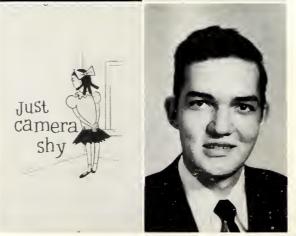
BETTY ANN BRIGHT
Future Teachers Club 4; Store
Keeper 2; Junior Play Usher 3;
F. H. A. 4.

ELVIRA CARRIGAN "Vick" Home Ec. 2.



JANNA CARRIGAN "Tootsie" Home Ec. 2.

MABEL CONDREY Spanish Club 2; F. H. A. Club 4; Future Teachers Club 4.



ROBERT CONDREY "Ace" Foreign Language Club, 2; Allied Youth 4; Bus Driver 4.

CARTHEL CUTHERBERTSON
"Endy"
Allied Youth 1, 2, 3; Junior Play
3; Drivers Education 4.



AILEEN DAVIS Glee Club 1; Mixed Chorus 3; Home Ec. Club 2, 3, 4; Future Teachers Club 4.

BOBBY LEE DUNCAN Superlative (Wittiest) 4; Spanish Club 3, 4; Concession Helper 1, 2, 3.

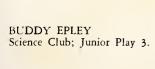


MAXINE DUNCAN
"Senie"
Future Teachers Club 4.

DONALD ELLIOTT Future Teachers Club 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 4; Superlative (Best Looking) 4; Tennis 3, 4; Spanish Club 4; Soccer 4; Lunch Room Helper 2.



GUY ELLIS
"Doughbelly"
Future Teachers Club 4; Allied
Youth 4; Spanish Club 2.





JEWELL FINLEY
"Bubbles"
Girls Glee Club 1; F. H. A. 1,
4; Mixed Chorus 3; Basketball 4.

BARBARA FISHER

Band 2, 3, 4; State Music Contest 1, 2, 3; District Music Contest 4; Shrine Bowl, Band 3; State Solo and Ensemble Contest 2, 3; State Junior High Piano Contest 1; Junior Marshall; National Honor Society 3, 4; National Forensic League 4; Degree of Merit 4; N. F. L. Congress Delegate 4; Degree of Honor 4; Torch Staff 4; Sub-Deb Club 3, 4; Hylander Club 3, 4; Football Sponsor 4; Junior Play; Allied Youth 1, 2, 3, 4; Pres. 4; Class Officer 1; Bible Club 4; Pianist 4; Soft Ball 3; Senior Superlative; Most Likely to Succeed.

C. A. FRICK, JR. Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; Allied Youth 2; Baseball 2, 4; Track 3, 4; Soccer 3, 4; Tennis 3, 4; Footbal 2, 3, 4; Co-Captain 4.

WAYNE GLADDEN "Il"inkie"

Key Club 3, 4; Key Club Conventions 3, 4; Key Club International Convention 3; Future Teachers Club 4; Vice-President 4; Spanish Club 2; Chorus Librarian 4; Chorus 4; Chorus Contest 4; Allied Youth 2.

MARY GOUGE Carlisle High School 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 4; Commercial Club 4; Future Teachers Club 4; Y. Teens Club 3, 4; Library Club 4; Softball 2, 3; Class Officer 2.









ARNOLD FRESHOUR "Arno"

Key Club 3, 4; Key Club Convention 3; Spanish Club 2; Bible Club 4; Bible Club Program Chairman 4; Student Council Representative 3; Monogram Club 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Track 3, 4; Western Carolina Relays; Soccer 4; Weight Lifting 2, 3, 4

SHIRLEY GIBSON "SHUSH"

Spanish Club 2; Monogram Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Track 3; Softball 2, 3; All Tournament. Valdese, Award 1; Cocaptain Basketball 3; All Tournament at Lenior 3; F. H. A. 1; Future Teachers Club 4.

BONNIE GODFREY
F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Allied Youth
1, 2, 3, 4; Spanish Club 2; N. F.
L. 4; Home Room Officer 4; Future Teachers Club 4; President
4; Office Assistant 4.

ELEANOR GRAYSON
"Flirt"

Future Teachers Club 4; F. H. A. Club 4; Basketball 1; Allied Youth 2, 3; Junior Play 3; Softball 1.

RALPH HAWKINS
Key Club 3, 4; Key Club Convention, Ashville 3, Raleigh 4;
Future Teachers Club 4; Glee
Club 2, 3, 4; Superlative (Best
Dressed) 4; Basketball 3, 4;
Baseball 2, 4; Glee Club Contest Ashville, Boone 4; Monogram Club 4; Concession Helper 1, 2, 3; Spanish 3.

LUCILLE HAYNES

"Squel"
Future Teachers Club 4; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; Home Economics Club, Secretary 2; Allied Youth 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 1, 3; Track 3; Maid of Honor, Valdese 2; Drivers Education 4.

EMMA JEAN HENSLEY
"Luke"

Future Teachers Club 4; Office
Assistant 1, 2, 3, 4; Bible Club
4; Library Assistant 1.

GARLAND DEE HIGGINS
"Doc"

Dramatics Club 2; District Contest 2, 4; Chorus 2, 3, 4; Allied
Youth 4; Future Teachers Club
4; Spanish Club 2; Bible Club
Assistant Singing Director 4.









JOYCE HAYNES
"Jo"

Home Economics Club 3, 4; Future Teachers Club 4.

HAROLD DEAN HENLINE
Key Club 4; Carolina District Key Club Convention (Raleigh) 4; Chorus 2; District Music Contest 2; Mixed Chorus 3; District Music Contest 3; Tennis 2, 3, 4; Conference Tennis Tournament (Hickory) 3; State Tennis Tournament 2; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; Homecoming Queen's Escort 4; Spanish Club 2; Intramural Basketball 3; Junior Play 3; Senior Superlative (Most Original); Office Assistant 1.

JACQUELYN A. HEWITT Senior Superlative (Most Courteous); Football Sponsor 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Torch Staff 4; Future Teachers Club 4; Bible Club 4; American Jr. Pen Women 4; Sub-Deb Club 3, 4; County Winner of Patriotic Sons of America Oratory Contest 3; Allied Youth 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Glee Club 8th grade; State Glee Club Contest 8th grade; District Chorus Contest 3, 4; N. F. L. 3, 4; Debating Club 3, 4; Alternate Debater 3; Debating Team 4; Delegate to Official N. F. L. Congresses 3, 4; Degrees in N. F. L.; Degree of Merit 3, 4; Degree of Honor 3, 4; Degree of Excellence 4; Vice Pres. N. F. L.

JOSEPH RAY HUFFMAN Allied Youth 4.

WILBURN HUFFMAN

DONALD JOHNSTON

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Manager; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Manager; Track 2, 3, 4; Manager; Track 2, 3, 4; Manager; Track 2, 3, 4; Manager; Key Club 4; Key Club Convention Raleigh 4; Hylander Club 4; State Basketball Tournament Winston Salem 2, 3; Valdese Tournament 2, 3; Hickory Tournament 2; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; Spanish Club 2; Library Assistant 4; Tennis 4; Soccer 3, 4.

PATSY LENTZ "PL"

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Band Officer (Sec) 3; Band Officer (Pres.) 4; State Music Contest 1, 2, 3, 4; District Music Contest 4; Ensemble State Music Contest 2, 3, 4; Solo State Music Contest 3, 4; Shrine Bowl, band 3; National Honor Society 3, 4; Pres. of National Honor Society 4; Torch Staff 4; Junior Play 3; Student Council 3, 4; Vice-President Student Council 4; Jr. Marshall; Co-Editor-in-Chief Hylander 4; Senior Superlative-Most Popular; Senior Class Officer, Treasurer; Allied Youth Clob 2, 3, 4; Allied Youth Officer, Secretary 3; Sub-Deb Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary Sub-Deb Club 3.

KATHRYN LONG

Spanish Club 2; Secretary Spanish Club 2; Allied Youth 2, 3, 4; Secretary. Allied youth 4; Debaters Club 3; National Forensic League 4; Jr. Marshall; Secretary, Jr. Class; Future Teachers Club 4; Secretary Sr. Class 4.









ROGER JIMISON Key Club 4; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; Football Manager 3; Future Teachers Club 4.

HARVEY LEE Future Teachers Club 4; Spanish Club 4; Baseball.

BARBARA JEAN LEWIS
"Bob"

Home Ec. Club 1, 2, 3; Future
Teachers Club 3, 4; Allied Youth
4.

MILDRED LONON
"Mil"
Home Ec. 2.

RUTH JANETTE MOODY MACE Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Home Economics 1.



HOPE McCALL
"Hopie"

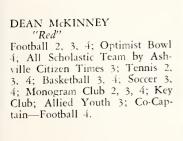
Girls Glee Club 1; District Music Contest 1, 4; Mixed Chorus 4; Allied Youth Club 1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. Club 3, 4; Future Teachers Club 4; Library Assistant 4; Senior Superlative—Wittiest 4; Sub-Deb Club 3, 4.

DOUGLAS McCRAW
Junior Play Cast 3; Monogram
Club 3, 4; Spanish Club 2; Soccer 3, 4; Football 4; Future
Teachers Club 4; Tennis 3, 4;
Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Lunch Room
Helper 2.



BARBARA McKINNEY
"Bob"

Harris High School 1; F. H. A.
Club 1, 2; Senior Superlative—
Friendliest i; Future Teacher's
Club 4.





IKE McLAIN
Band 1, 2, 3, 4; District Music
Contest 1; State Music Contest
1, 2, 3; District Solo and Ensemble Contest 1; State Solo and Ensemble Contest 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus
4; Assistant Librarian of Chorus
4; Diesler Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Key
Club 2, 3, 4; Convention 2, 3,
4; Future Teachers Club 4; Allied Youth Club 1, 2, 4; Treasurer 1; Bible Club 4; National
Forensic League 4; Senior Superlative—Most Talented; Track 2;
Appalachian Band Clinic 2, 3;
Paper Bowl Band 1; Shrine Bowl
Band 3; World Peace Speaking
Contest 3, 4.

HUBERT MARTIN
"Hub"

"Hub"
Band 1, 2, 3, 4; District Band Contest 4; State Band Contest 1, 2, 3; State Solo and ensemble contest 1, 2, 3, 4; District 1; Deisler Band 2, 3, 4; Key Club 2, 3, 4; Vice-President 4; Key Club Conventions 2, 3, 4; Allied Youth 3, 4; Spanish Club 2; National Forensic League 3, 4; Degree of Excellence; Bible Club 4; World Peace Speaking Contest 3; Debater's Club 3, 4; Chorus 2; Appalachain Band Clinic 3; Paper and Shrine Bowl Bands 1, 3; Official Delegate to N. F. L. Congress 3.





JACK RIPPER Not a thing.

CARLENCE METCALF "Curly" Future Teachers Club 4; Allied Youth 4; Stage Manager Junior Play 3.



BOBBY MILLER Allied Youth 4; Spanish Club 2.

SYBIL MINISH "Sib" Chester High School 1; Future Homemakers of America, 1, 4; Dramatics Club 2; Spanish Club 2; Junior Play; Future Teachers Club 4; Safety Drivers Club (C. H. S.) 1.



MARY ELLEN MOODY "Sissy" F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Spanish Club 2; Dramatics Club 2; Allied Youth 4; Store-keeper 2, 3, 4.

"Hambone" Band 1, 2, 3, 4; District Music Contest 4; State Music Contest

BOBBY MORRIS

1, 2, 3, 4; Vice-Pres. band 4; State Ensemble Contest 3, 4; Boys Chorus 2; District Chorus Contest 2; Mixed Chorus 3; Deisler Band 4; Key Club 3, 4; Senior Director of Key Club 4; Key Club Conventions 3, 4; Allied Youth 1, 2; Spanish Club 2; Monogram Club 3, 4; Hylander Club 4; Future Teachers Club 4; Football 3, 4; Baseball 2, 4; Basketball 3; Tennis 3, 4; Superlative (Most Courteous) 4.



VERA MURDOCK "Dixie" Allied Youth 3, 4; Home Ec. Club 1, 2; Bible Club 4; Library Asst. 3.

PATSY NESBITT "Pat"

Band 2, 3, 4; State Music Contest 2, 3, 4; District Music Contest 4; Shrine Bowl (Band) 3; Solo-Ensemble Contest 3, 4; Band Officer 4; Spanish Club 2; F. H. A. Club 1, 2; Girls Glee Club 1; Mixed Chorus 4; Junior Play 3; Allied Youth 4; Softball 3.



CHRISTINE NICHOLS "Cricket" Girls Glee Club 1; Allied Youth 1, 2, 3, 4; Spanish Club 2, 4; Future Teachers Club 4; Home Et. 4; District Music Contest 1; World Peace Speaking Contest 3, 4; Scott High School (Toledo, Ohio) 3.

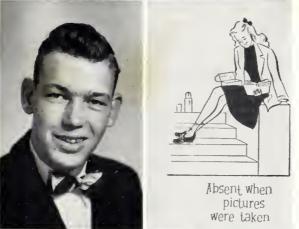
SHIRLEY NOLES
Future Teachers Club 4; Home
Ec. Club 4.



LILLIAN PARKINS
"Lenny"

F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Spanish 2;
Dramatics Club 2; Allied Youth
4; Store Keeper 2, 3, 4.

GLENN DAVID PATTERSON Track 4; Lunchroom Helper 1.



DORIS FAYE POOLE





KEITH POOSER Rutherfordton-Spindale Central High School 1, 2; Hylander Club 4; Student Council 3, 4; President 4; National Forensic League 3, 4; Debater's Club 3, 4; Key Club 3, 4; Degree of Honor in N. F. L. 3; Vice-President of Senior Class Senior Superlative—Most Likely to Succeed.

MARY ALLEN POTEAT "Kater"

Band 2, 3, 4; Band Committee 4; State Music Contest 2, 3, District Ensemble Contest 3; National Honor Society 3, 4; Torch Staff 4; Shrine Bowl; Band 3; Junior Play 3; Debaters Club 2; National Forensic League 2; Allied Youth Club 2, 3, 4; Hylander Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Assistant Advertising Mgr. 3; Co-Editor-in-Chief 4; Sub-Deb Club 2, 3, 4; Sec.-Treas. 4; Library Assistant 4; Homecoming Sponsor 4.





MICKEY POTEAT "Reno"

Glenwood High School 1, 2; Football 3, 4; Optimist Bowl 4; Basketball 3, 4; Co-Captain 3; Baseball 3, 4; Key Club 3, 4; Hylander Staff 4; Senior Superlative—Most Popular, Monogram Club 3, 4; Junior Play 3; Hylander Club 3, 4; Key Club Convention 3, 4.

BETTY RUMFELT Future Teachers Club 4; Home Ec. 2; Drivers Education 4.

BETTY PYATT
"Lizzie"
Allied Youth 1, 2, 4; Future
Teachers Club 4; Office Worker
4.

FORREST RONALD ROSS
"Root"

Baseball 2, 3, 4; Tennis 4; Key
Club 3, 4; Future Teachers Club
4; Spanish Club 2, 3.



JIM RICKS
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Co-Captain
4; Optimist Bowl 4; Senior Superlative, Best All Around; Soccer
3, 4; Tennis 2, 3, 4; Key Club
2, 3, 4; Key Club Vice-President
3, President 4; Hylander Club 1,
2, 3, 4; Sports Ed. 4; Monogram
Club 2, 3, 4; Key Club-Convention 2, 3, 4; Allied Youth 1;
Honor Society 3, 4; Torch Staff
4.





WILLIAM LOUIS ROWLAND
"Bill"

Dramatics Club 2; Chorus 2, 3, 4; District Contest 3, 4; Allied
Youth 3, 4; Future Teachers
Club 4; Spanish Club 3; Junior
Play; Bible Class 4.

ARNOLD PYATT
"Puffy"
Key Club 2, 3, 4; Key Club Convention 2, 3, 4; Debater's Club 1, 2; Allied Youth 2, 3, 4; National Honor Society 3, 4; Torch. Staff 4; Future Teachers Club 4; Junior Play; N. F. L. 2, 3; Western Carolinas Invitational Golf Tournament 2; Conservation Speech Contest 1, 2; World Peace

Contest 3; Chief Marshal 3.



DONALENE SARTAIN
"Sardine"
Softball 1; Spanish Club 2; F. H.
A. 3, 4; Allied Youth Club 3, 4;
Future Teachers Club 4; Basketball 4; Girls Track 3, 4; Drivers
Ed. 4.

POLLYANNA ATKINS SEAGLE

"Polly"
Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Hylander Club
1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2 (Pianist)
State Music Contest 1, 2, 3; Future Teachers Club 4 (Treasurer); F. H. A. 4; Bible Club 4 (Secretary); Majorette 1, 2, 3; District Music Contest 1; Dramatics Club 1.

IANE SHIFLET

Hylander Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Art Editor for Annual 4; Spanish Club 4; Sub-Deb Club 2, 3, 4; President of Sub-Deb Club 2, 3, 4; Honor Society 3, 4; N. F. L. 4; Honor Society 3, 4; N. F. L. 4; Holled Youth 1, 2, 3, 4, Bible Club 4; Future Teachers Club 4; Future Homemakers of America Club 4; Senior Superlative (Most Original); Band 7th, 8th, 1, 2, 3, 4; District Contest 8th, 4; State Contest 7th, 8th, 1, 2, 3, 4; District Solo-Ensemble Contest 8th, 1; State Solo-Ensemble Contest 8th, 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary of Band 4; Torch Staff 4; Shrine Bowl (Band) 8th, 3; Appalachian Band Clinic 2, American Jr. Pen Women 4; Clarinet Soloist 3, 4; Paper Bowl (Band) 1.

LORETTA SILVER
"Chicken"
Future Teachers Club 4; Home
Ec. Club 4; Softball 1, 3; Basketball 1.

JOBY SMITH
Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4; Chief
Cheerleader 4; Optimist Bowl 1;
Basketball 2, 3, 4; National Honor Society 3, 4; Delegate N. H.
S. Convention 3; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; Allied Youth 2, 3, 4;
Hylander Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Assistant Business Manager 3; Co-Photographic Editor 4; Future Teachers Club 4; Sub-Deb Club 2, 3, 4; Torch Staff 4; Football Sponsor 4; Library Assistant 3, 4; Junior Play, 3.







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SYBIL SEAGLE
"S/b"
Mixed Chorus 3; Home Economics Club 2, 3, 4



Spanish Club 2; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; Key Club 4; Key Club Convention 4; Senior Superlative (Most Athletic); Football 3, 4; Honorary Member Optimist Bowl 4; Basketball 3, 4; Valdese Gold Medal Tournament 3; Conference Tournament (Senior) 3; Statesville Tournament 3; Baseball 2, 3, 4.

ELAYNE SIMPSON Home Ec. 1, 2, 3; Allied Youth 3; Senior Superlative-Best Dressed-4.

JACK SPRINKLE Science Club 3; Junior Play 3; Bus Driver 4. MARTHA STEPPE

Allied Youth 3, 4; Girl's Glee Club 1; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Vice President 3; President 4; District Music Contest 1, 3, 4; Future Homemakers of America 4; Student Council Representative 4; National Honor Society 3, 4; Torch Staff 4; Sub-Deb Club 3, 4; Hylander Club 4; Bible Club 4; American Junior Pen Women

NINA STROUD Spanish Club 2; Allied Youth Club 3, 4; Junior Play 3; Future Teachers Club 4; Future Homemakers of America 4; Of fice Assistant 4.

RUBY RUTH TAYLOR "Broadus" Glee Club 1; F. H. A. Club 4; Teacher's Club 4.

RUTH ANN TUCKER "Rat" Inman High School 1, 2, 3; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2; Block I Club 2, 3; Band 2;

Home Economics Club 1, 2, 3; Cheerleader 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2; Marion High School 4,

Basketball 4.

MAX WALL Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Football Manager 1; Soccer 1, 2; Baseball 1; Track Manager 2, 3; Monogram Club 2, 3.









ROY STEPPE Allied Youth 1, 2, 3, 4; Tennis 2, 3, 4; Spanish Club 2; Future Teacher's Club 4; Monogram Club 3, 4.

ROSE ANNE STYLES "Anne" Glee Club 1; Future Teachers Club 4.

MARY NELL TILLEY "Tally-Ho" Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Mixed Chorus 4; Future Homemakers Club 4; Future Teachers Culb 4; Softbal' 1; Spanish Club 3.

BARBARA ATKINS TURNER "Bob"F. H. A. Club 1, 4; Bible Club

4; Future Teachers Club 4; Home - Coming Attendant 3; Basketball 1, 2; High Point High School 1; Softball 1.

HAROLD WARREN

Morganton High School 1, 2; Camera Club 1; Folk Dancing 2; Hunting and Fishing Club 2; Bible Club 1, 2; Dramatics Club 2; Art Club 1, 2; Bo-zo Club 1, 2; Western Carolina Dramatics Festival 2; Marion High School; Junior Play 3; Tennis 3, 4; Future Teacher's Club 4; National Forensic League 4; Cheerleader 4.

PEARL WHISENANT

"Squirrel"
F. H. A. 1, 2, 4; Allied Youth 3, 4; Office worker 3; Future Teacher's Club 4; Bible Club 4; Library Assistant 1; Junior Play usher 3.

EDITH WILSON Home Economics Club 4; Future Teachers Club 4; Driver's Education 4.

FRANK WRIGHT
"Shorty"
Allied Youth 4.

JOYCE ANN YOUNG
"Shorty"
Future Teachers Club 4; Home
Leonomics Club 4; Allied Youth
4; Chorus 4; Driver's Education
4.











PATSY WATKINS Home Economics Club 1, 2, 3; Spanish Club 2, 3; Allied Youth Club 1; Chorus 4.

THELMA WILLIAMS
Future Homemakers Club 1; Future Teachers Club 4; Office
Assistant 4; Allied Youth 4.

LOIS JEAN WILSON Library Assistant 1.

JERRY YOUNG
Cheerleader 1; Optimist Bowl 1;
Key Club 2, 3, 4; Secretary-Treasurer 4; Junior Director 3; Key
Club Conventions 2, 3, 4; International convention 3; Spanish
Club 2, 3; Hylander Club 3, 4;
Staff 4; President 3; Allied
Youth 1, 2, 3; Senior Superlative, Friendliest; Student Council
Officer 4; Junior Play 3; Football 2, 3, 4; Class President 1;
World Peace Speaking Contest
3; Mixed Chorus 4.

SENIOR SUPERLATIVES

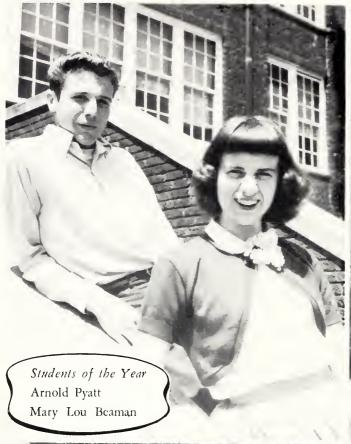








SENIOR SUPERLATIVES











JUNIOR CLASS

OFFICERS

Roberts	Jarrett	President
Dorothy	Jo McCall Vice	-President
Frances	Justice	Secretary
Johnny	Cook	Treasurer

Denzel Adams Betty Jo Allison Mary Atwell Beulah Austin

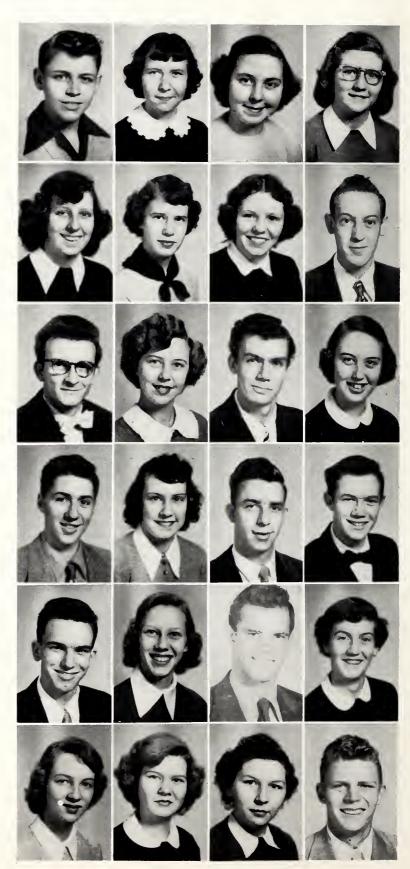
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R. L. Carmody Betty Causby Arnold Cordell Ray Crawford

Johnny Cooke Roxanne Dark J. T. Davis Nina Davis

Nellie Dills Betty Early Mary England Dean Ennis





Lonnie Evans Jeanette Ferguson Justine Finley Valerie Ford

Mary Fox Jerry Freeman Betty Sue Freshour Betty Jean Gaddy

Jimmy Godfrey Ruby Greene Bruce Hawkins Mary Susan Hawkins

Shirley Haynes Barbara Hensley Geraldine Hensley Ronnie Hensley

Myrtle Hollifield Roxie Hollifield Earl Houck Beulah Huffman

Jimmy Huffman Faye Hyatt Robert Jarrett Ray Jones

Frances Justice Frances Kanipe Maxine King Jimmy Laughrdige

Betty Joe Lewis Gene Lewis Clarence Lytle Jimmy Lytle

Bobby Martin Junior Mask Dorothy Jo McCall Ray McCurry

Wayne McIntosh Peggy Moore Billy Morgan Dolores Norman

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Jack Owensby Charles Pinkerton Jean Pittman Ann Propst





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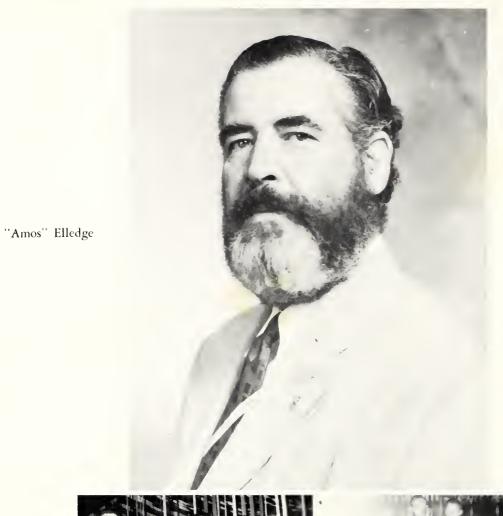
Frances Russell Joel Ann Seagle Martha Smith Phifer Smith

Russell Smith Bobbie Staton Ruth Styles Shirley Taylor

Donald Watkins Clara Webb Mary Ruth Westall Nancy Williams

Viola Willis Patsy Woody Barbara Wright Elizabeth Wyatt

Anita Young
Juniors Not Pictured:
Marlene Jones
Bill Long
Wayne Simpson
Larry Trinks



Irish Hillbillies



Which one has the voice?





Is this a happy medium?

SOPHOMORE CLASS



OFFICERS

President	Tommy	y Wyke
Vice-President	Jackie	Hensley
Secretary	Shirley	Hensley
Treasurer	Jimmy	Peppers



SOPHOMORES

Donnie Atkins Patsy Ayers Leona Bartlette Jean Beachboard

Peggy Bolch Nora Bolden Roby Bolich Bobby Bradley

Ted Bright Marjorie Brooks Nelle Broome Carroll Brown

Larry Brown Fred Buchanan Kathleen Buckner Martha Burleson

Peggy Church Wanda Clemmer Minnie Jean Cline Joyce Ann Connor

Phyllis Curtis Christine Cuthbertson J. V. Cuthbertson Edward Dalton

Donald Davis Grady Davis Charles Dickson Betty Jean Dyson

Joe Eckerd Ronald Elliott Troy Elliott

SOPHOMORES

Johnny Ellis Mary Sue Ellis Patsy Ellis Margaret Ann England

Marshall England B-Linda Finley Joanne Fisher Hazel Frisbee

Mary Jo Frisbee Betty Jean Gaddy Sandra Gassaway Ruby Gibbs

Sue Gilbert Ray Glenn Dorothian Grayson Betty Greene

Robert Greene Norman Grigg Jean Gurley Norma Jean Hall

Retha Helms Jackie Hensley Shirley Hensley Jack Hewitt

Shelby Hogan Wilma Holland Harold Huffman Wanda Huffman

James Hunter Harriet James Alonzo Kanipe Jane Kistler





Teddy Lail Edna Lawing Gerald Lewis Sherman Locke

Anita Long Huey Long Shelbie Jean Lonon Carolyn Martin

Shirley Medford Dickie McCall Jane McIntosh Betty McKinney

Donald Miller Donald Mindsh Donald Moody Walter Morgan

Devoid Morrow Devaughn Morrow Jimmie Murray Rachel Norman

Ronell Norton Wayne Nuckolls Floyd Parker Jimmy Peppers

Lee Phillips Joyce Poole Maxine Poteat Gloria Jean Price

Roy Rabon Eugene Rader Evclyn Rathbone Ruby Reece

SOPHOMORES

Caroline Reel Dan Reel Lee Reynolds Kathryn Robinson

Norma Jean Ross Shirley Ross Bennie Rumfelt Jean Searcy

Ronald Searcy
Pat Shiflet
Eddie Shoemaker
Elaine Shoemaker

Nova Smith Charles Smith Tommy Spratt Donald Steppe

Phillis Stough Kate Terry Linda Thompson Jimmie Wall

Joanne Waters James Ray Welbourne Opal Westall Frank Whisnant

Jimmy Willis Donald Wilson Tommy Wilson Ross Wingo

Bryant Woody Kenneth Wright Tommy Wyke Doris Lee Young





OFFICERS

President:
Lynn Ross
Vice-President:
Jimmy Peppers
Secretary-Treasurer:
Carmella Wages

FRESHMAN CLASS

Adams, Jaynet Adkins, Sonny Arrowood, Earl Attowood, Earl Atkins, Louise Bailey, Rebecca Beam, Jack Banks, James Ray Blanton, Walker Bradburn, Eula Mae Bradley, Coy Brooks, Myles Bruner, Bessie Buchanan, Billy Ray Burnette, Nona Cable, Bobby Callahan, Georgia Cameron, David Causby, Mills Chambers, Norman Collins, Patsy Condrey, Sheiba Jean Conley, Ray Clayton, Mary Cline, Junior Clontz, Donald



FRESHMAN CLASS

Crisp, Pauline Daniels, Frank Davis, John Ray Davis, Jaul Jr. Davis, Robert V. Davis, Roe Davis, Von Harold Dillingham, Frances Duncan, Florence Duncan, Robert Earley, Kenneth Earley, Lillian Elliott, Doris Elmore, Jimmie England, Arville Evans, Greta Fender, Dean Finley, Jean Flack, Patsy Floyd, Bailey Roger Fox, Donald Frazier, Anne Freshour, Christine Frick, Gary Gaddy, Margaret Garland, Mary Garner, Charlie Geouge, Travis Gibson, Arvin Hall, Billy Hall, Herman Hall, Jack Hall, Roy Hall, Troy Harkelrode, Glenn Harkelrode, Judy Harris, Tom Haynes, Bobby Ray Hendrix, Gladys Hensley, Annie Hewitt, Tommy Higgins, Joyce Hobbs, Cyrus Holden, William E. Holland, Ray Hollifield, Sonny Hollifield, Sybil Hoyle, Alice Hudson, Pat Hughes, Doris Hunter, Grace Jenkins, Beth Jernigan, Barbara Jimeson, Benny Johnson, Kathryn Johnson, Ray Justice, Nona Lee



Kent, Leta Jo Lancy, Kenneth C. Landis, Bobbie Lavender, Harriet Lawing, Jack Laurence, Larry Lewis, Ray Lind, Tommy Long, Patricia Lytle, William P.
Mace, Alton
Martin, Martha Ann
Mask, Sandra
McKinney, Eugene
McKinney, Olen
McWhirt, John
Miller, Barbara
Medford, Carolyn

FRESHMAN CLASS

Miller, Joanne Miller, Glenn Mills. Ruth Minnish, Patricia Mitchell, Maxine Moddy, Hoyle Morgan, Tommy Morgan, Vera Morris, Helen Morrow, Dorothy Morton, Bruce Norman, David Owensby, Samuel Owensby, Shelby Jean Padgette, Peggy Peppers, Jerry Pinkerton, Grady Pinkerton, Harry Pool, Hubert Poteat, Carolyn Poteat, Harold Presnell, Barbara Propst, Jeanette Purvis, Ray Randolph, Walter Rathbone, Daisy Raymer, Larry Reid, Virgil Revis, Joyce Roland, Ima Jean Ross, Lyna Ross, Tommy Seagle, Donald Silver, Hal Sisk, Mary Alice Sluder, Audrey Smith, G. Ray Smith, Revonda Sparks, Gail Sparks, Ray Steppe, Thurley Stroud, Billy Styles, Wilma Taylor, Betty Jean Taylor, Betty Jean Taylor, Freddie Taylor, Linda Taylor, Shirley G. Tilley, Jack Trent, Christine Twitty, Martha Wages, Carmella Waycaster, Della Faye Wall, Mary Jane Webb, Roger Westall, Betty Whisenant, Larry



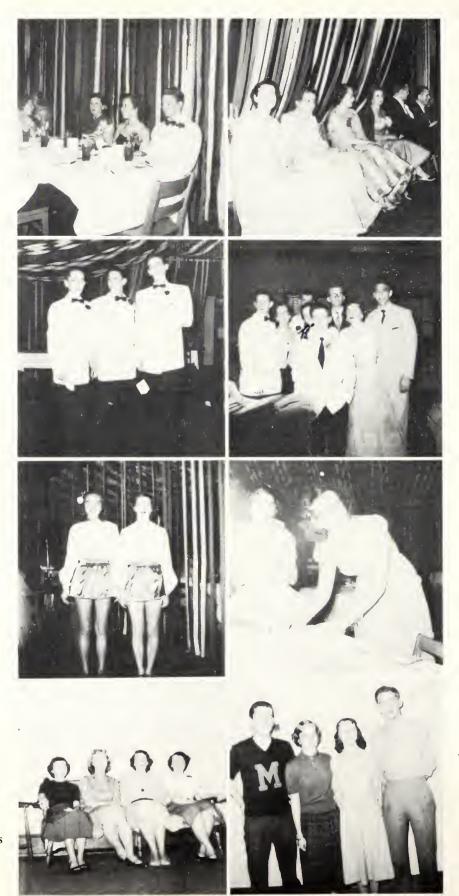
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EIGHTH GRADE



MEMBERS: Barber, Katherine Bergman, Cecelia Bowman, Betty Braly, Lee Briggs, Annie Mae Brooks, Glenna Brown, Dorothy Brown, Fred Brown, Melvine Burnette, Anne Cannon, Merttie Cross, Jeannette Deyton, Dennis Duncan, Maurice Epley, Rebecca Finley, Judy Gordon, Mary Ruth Hendley, Gayle Holloway, Annette Hudson, Charles Jimerson, Janetta

McBee, Carolyn McCormick, Tony McIntosh, Anne McIntosh, Ross Morgan, Billy Moses, Mildred Pittman, Helen Pyatt, Margaret Rhinehart, Carl Rowland, Joe Roland, Lewis Runion, David Sluder, Gaynell Smith, Elaine Smith, Mat Steppe, Billy Steppe, Doris Story, Jane Walker, Hane Waycaster, Billy Wiatt, Carolyn Woody, Charles Young, Melba



Our student teachers

Our student leaders



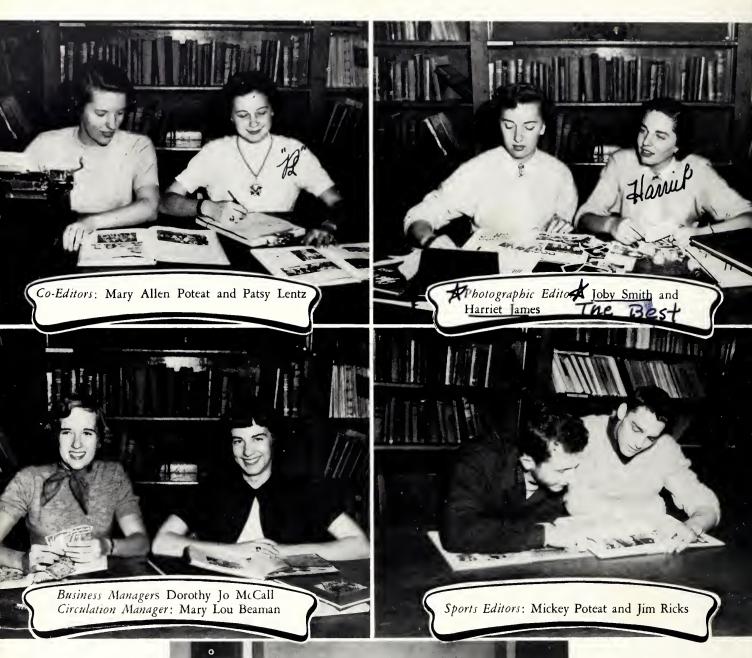


ACTIVITIES





HYLANDER STAFF





HYLANDER CLUB

Members: Donnie Atkins, Mary Lou Beaman, Charles Dickson, Joe Eckerd, B-Linda Finley, Barbara Fisher, Joanne Fisher, Jackie Hewitt, Harriet James, "Sid" Johnson, Bobby Landis, Jimmy Laughridge, Patsy Lentz, Bobby Martin, Ray McCurry, Dorothy Jo McCall, Jane McIntosh, Bobby Morris, Mary Allen Potcat, Mickey Poteat, Keith Pooser, Jim Ricks, Jane Shiflet, Pat Shiflet, Eddie Shoemaker, Elaine Shoemaker, Martha Steppe, "Chuck" Smith, Joby Smith, and Jerry Young.





Patsy Lentz President



Martha Steppe Vice President



Jackie Hewitt Secretary



Barbara Fisher Treasurer

Joby Smith

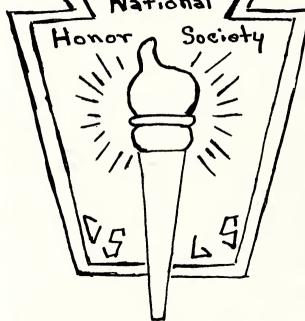


Mary Allen Poteat





Arnold Pyatt



Jimmy Ricks



Jane Shiflet



Minnie Jane Bowman



Mary Lou Beaman

STUDENT COUNCIL



Members: Keith Pooser, President; Patsy Lentz, Vicc-President; Jerry Young, Treasurer; Dorothy Jo McCall, Secretary; Martha Steppe, Connie Cannon, Carmella Wages, Anita Long, Peggy Padgette, Wyne Bradburn, Jimmy Lytle, and Donnie Adkins. Miss Clara Justice, Sponsor.

The Marion High School Student Council has done many outstanding things this year. Its ideals are to promote an intimate program of understanding and leadership between the Students, their school, and the Faculty.

NATIONAL FORENSIC LEAGUE

Left to right: Minnie Jane Bowman, Carmella Wages, Mary Ruth Westall, Patsy Woody, Kathryn Long, and Mary Margaret Atwell. Back row: Harold Warren, Jackie Hewitt, Valerie Ford, Bonnie Godfrey, Nina Stroud, and Keith Pooser.



ALLIED YOUTH CLUB

Officers: President, Barbara Fisher; Vice-President, Dorothy Jo McCall; Sccretary, Katherine Long; Treasurer, Ray McCurry.



Fisher



McCall



Long



McCurry

DEBATERS

The Debaters Club under the leadership of Mr. Carter, has an outstanding record in interscholastic debate. For many years the Club has produced teams that always come out the winner. Teams from Marion enter the Triangular Debates with Rutherfordton and Forest City.

Left to Right: Barbara Fisher Mary Margaret Atwell

Second Row:
Keith Pooser
Kathryn Long
Hubert Martin
Minnie Jane Bowman
Harold Warren
Jackie Hewitt
Roxanne Dark



Future Homemakers Of America

Creed: We are the Future Homemakers of American, We face the future with warm courage and high hope. For we have the consciousness of seeking Old and precious values. For we are the builders of homes, Homes for America's future. Homes where living will be the expression of everything that is good and fair. Homes where truth and love and security and faith will be realities, not dreams.



MONOGRAM CLUB



Members: Justine Finley, Joanne Fisher, Joby Smith, Gene Lewis, Eddie Calhoun, Roger Jimeson, Mickey Poteat, "Red" McKinney, Dean Henline, Jim Ricks, Bobby Morris, Wayne Bradburn, Bryant Woody, Doug McGraw, Roy Steppe, Minnic Bowman, Jimmy Lytle, Lucille Hayncs, Valerie Ford, Barbara Black, Norman Grigg, Junior Mask, Jerry Young, Max Wall, Fred Buchanan, Jack Hewitt, Arnold Freshour, Burrell Arrowood, C. A. Frick, Donald Miller, Wayne McIntosh, Buddy Austin, Roby Bolick, and Donnic Atkins. Coaches Ditt and Grindstaff,



KEY CLUB

Members:

Jim Ricks, President; Hubert Martin, Vice-President; Jerry Young, Secretary and Treas-urer; Bobby Morris, Senior Advisor; Ike McLain, Arnold Pyatt, Arnold Freshour, Wayne Gladden, Dean Henline, Ronnie Ross, Keith Pooser, Jim Laughridge, Ray Mc-Curry, Bobby Martin, Dean McKinney, Mickey Poteat, Roger Jimeson, Donald Johnston, Jack Hewitt, Jim Lytle, Russell Smith, "Chuck" Smith, Charles Dickson, Donnie Atkins, Billy Morgan, Eddie Calhoun, Delano Shook, Ralph Hawkins, Tommy Wyatt, and Joe Eckerd.

Office Workers

These girls not only lend invaluable service to our school, but they also receive excellent training in business education.

Left to Right: Emma Hensley Mary Buff Nina Stroud Bonnie Godfrey Zelda Anderson Betty Jo Pyatt

Second Row:
Barbara Black
Jeanette Ferguson
Roxie Hollifield
Thelma Williams
Barbara Hensley
Martha Smith
Betty Jo Allison



Future Teachers Club

The purpose of this club is to interest students in the teaching profession, and to create a better understanding between teachers and students.



LIBRARY ASSISTANTS

The purpose of the library assistants group is to promote better library service in the school. These girls do a very fine piece of work and should be commended for their cooperation.

Left to Right:
Billy Geouge
Jean Wilson
Mary Allen Poteat
Harriet James
Joby Smith
Dorothy Jo McCall
Betty Dyson



BIBLE CLUB

The newly organized club was begun last fall to encourage daily Bible study. This group has regular meetings and programs planned for the inspiration of its members.

OFFICERS

President
Minnie Bowman

Vice-President
Wayne Bradburn

Secretary Polly Seagle

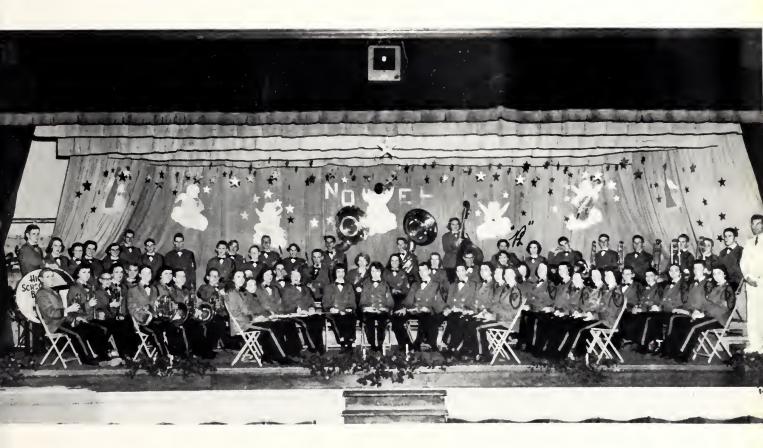
*Pianist*Barbara Fisher

Chorister Ikey McLain

Ass't Chorister
Garland Higgins



BAND



Members:

Carolyn McBee
Mary McIntosh
Martha Martin
Revonda Smith
Jon Eckerd
Mary Lou Beaman
Julia Finlcy
Patsy Nesbitt
Carmella Wages
Jane Shiflet
Jimmy Laughridge
Phyllis Curtis
Shirley Hensley
Chuck Smith
Jane McIntosh
Mary Allen Poteat

Linda Thompson Wanda Clemmer Bobbie Landis Lce Braly Doris Anne Steppe Becky Epłey Shelbie Duncan Larry Lawrence Harold Simmons Patsy Flack Hubert Martin lackie Hensley Ikey McLain Dorothy Joe McCall Ann McIntosh Jane Walker

Ray McCurry B-Linda Finley Travis Geouge Pat Shiflet Lee Phillips Charles Woody Doug Cooper Pat Rabb Johnny Setzer David Runnion Matt Smith Charles Dickson Bobby Martin Barbara Fisher Phyllis Stough Billy Geouge

Donald Young Freddie Hewitt Lee Reynolds Bobby Morris Tommy Hewitt Ray Conley Lynn Ross Patsy Lentz Norman Chambers Robert Greene Tommy Spratt Johnny Cooke Minnie Jane Bowman Connie Cannon Walker Blanton Frances Justice Patsy Minish

MIXED CHORUS

The mixed chorus in its second year has become one of the most popular groups in school. It has taken part in many enjoyable programs and adds much to the development of music appreciation in the school.

OFFICERS: President, Martha Steppe; Vice-President, Phifer Smith; Secretary and Treasurer, Mary Lou Beaman.



Ann Propet Loree Norman Loretta Stroud Connie Cannon Mary Gouge Mary Nell Tilley Patsy Nesbitt Jean Pittman Kathleen Buckner Betty Green Joyce Higgins Violetta Rogers Gloria Price Shirley Taylor Jean Condrey Harriet Lavender Mary Alice Sisk Frances Kanipe Patsy Watkins

Gretta Evans Jaynet Adams Mary Lou Beaman Martha Steppe Patsy Collins Hope McCall Kathryn Randolph Ruth Mills Thruley Steppe Jimmie Ruth Burnette Delores Norman Mary Buff Joel Ann Seagle Doris Wilson Patsy Long Carolyn Poteat Joyce Young Jackie Hewitt Christine Cuthbertson

Jerry Young David Norman Ralph Hawkins Garland Higgins Wayne Gladden Lee Reynolds Bobby Sowers Lee Phillips I. C. Norman Douglas McCraw Russell Smith Ike McLain Donald Watkins Tommy Morgan Phifer Smith Bill Roland Earl Arrowood Jimmy Laughridge





ATHLETICS





HOMECOMING QUEEN



ATTENDANTS'
AND
SPONSORS

Homecoming Queen
Esther Pool

Attendants



Sponsors: Delores Norman

Joby Smith Mary Allen Poteat



Joanne Fisher

Jacqueline Hewitt



Dorothy Morrow

Barbara Fisher









FOOTBALL



Coaches Ditt and Grindstaff



Managers: Ross McIntosh, Wayne McIntosh, and Jimmy Wall



FOOTBALL





Mickey Poteat-Fullback

J. T. Davis-Tailback

RIPPERS DOWN HENDERSONVILLE IN OPENING GAME BY 18 TO 6

Delano Shook, an unheralded reserve who was a last moment choice for a starting position, played an outstanding game. Also outstanding was co-captain Dean Mc-Kinney, tackle, Bobby Morris, and center Max Wall. Opening game jitters were in evidence at the time when the Rippers made several fumbles, and on other occasions missed additional opportunities to score. However, Coach Ditt and Grindstaff were pleased with the game. Scoring for Marion—Poteat 2, Frick, 1.

FOREST CITY HANDS MARION FIRST LOSS BY THE SCORE OF 15 TO 0.

Jim Ricks, one of the co-captains, was knocked out the first half of the game and was a great loss to the team. The team as a whole was off.

MORGANTON HANDS MARION ITS SECOND LOSS OF THE SEASON. 13-0.

Marion threatened only once in the third quarter when it carried the ball to the Morganton 20 yard line, but due to an interception by Morganton, the threat was ended.

RIPPERS HIT VICTORY COLUMN AT CROSSNORE. 46-0

The Coaches emptied the bench of reserves to give the second stringers as much experience as possible.



Dean McKinney-Guard



Bobby Morris-Tackle

FOOTBALL WRITEUP





Arnold Freshour-Wingback

C. A. Frick-Quarterback

RIPPERS DOWN HICKORY TORNADOES IN HOMECOMING GAME. 18-13.

Mickey Poteat and "Red" McKinney played outstanding on offense and Harold Huffman starred on defense. The Marion P. T. A. sponsored a wonderful dance for the school in the gymnasium.

MARION GAINS VICTORY OVER KINGS MOUNTAIN BY 7 TO 0

Frick scored on a pass from Shook in the last quarter. Delano Shook suffered a leg injury which kept him out for the rest of the season. Shook and Frick were outstanding on offense.

MARION PLAYS BEST GAME OF THE SEASON AS LENOIR BEARCATS WIN 13-6.

Frick scored on a pass from Atkins. The whole Rpiper team played exceptionally good ball.

CANTON HANDS MARION WORST DEFEAT OF THE YEAR. 28-0 Marion played good ball until the half, but received several bad broaks.

Marions' last game for the Senior boys was a defeat 19-0. The loss was due to several costly fumbles and penalties.



Jimmy Lytle-Guard



Donald Miller-Center

GIRLS' BASKETBALL



Left to Right: Valerie Ford, Ruth Styles, Mary Ruth Westall, Lucille Haynes, Sandra Mask, Mary Ann Gouge.

Second Row: Thurley Stepp, Wanda Huffman, Helen Morris, Patsy Flack, Virginia Wilson, Patsy Collins.

Third Row: Joanne Fisher, Joby Smith, Donaline Sartain, Patsy Ayers, Roxanne Dark, Dot Grayson.

Fourth Row: Betty Dyson, Nellie Dills, Ruth Ann Tucker, Mary Buff, Christine Cuthbertson.

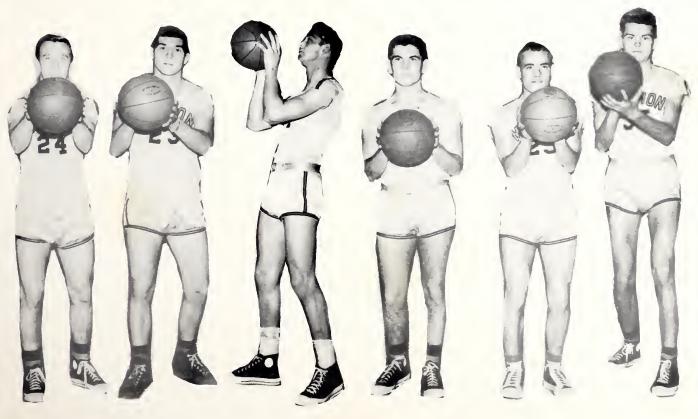
Back Row: Harriet James, Manager, Coach Ditt, Nancy Williams, Manager.



BOYS' BASKETBALL



First row, left to right: Jerry Peppers, Delano Shook, Donnie Atkins, Junior Mask, and Harold Huffman. Second row: Bobby Sowers, Walter Morgan, Bryant Woody, Donald Moody, and Jimmy Willis. Third Row: Coach Grindstaff, Ross Wingo, and Bruce Morton. Back row: Max Wall, "Sid" Johnston, and Gary Frick, Managers.



Starters: Mask

Huffman

Poteat

Atkins

Shook

Woody

Baseball

Front row, left to right: "Sid" Johnson, Manager; C. A. Frick, J. T. Davis, Edward Dills, Donald Elliott, Wayne Bradburn, Donald Steppe, Assistant Manager. Second Row: Donnie Atkins, Mickey Poteat, Fred Buchanan, Ronnie Ross, Jack Owensby, Clarence Lytle, and Coach Grindstaff.



Soccer

Front Row, left to right: Grady Davis, C. A. Frick, Jimmy Murray, J. T. Davis, Jack Hewitt, Norman Grigg, Clarence Lytle. Second Row: J. C. Norman, Roby Bolick, Donald Miller, Bobby Bradley, Donald Elliott, Edward Dills, Jimmy Lytle, Douglas McGraw, and Coach Ditt.



Track

First Row: Wayne Bradburn, Eddie Calhoun, C. A. Frick, Norman Grigg, J. T. Davis, and Buddy Austin. Second Row: Jack Owensby, Ray Lewis, J. C. Norman, Jack Hewitt, and Benny Rumfelt. Third Row: Roby Bolick, Bryant Woody, Arnold Freshour, and "Sid" Johnson.



Cheerleaders

Harold Warren, Ray Crawford, Dorothy Morrow, Joanne Fisher, Jimmy Huffman, Joby Smith, Chief; Justine Finley, and Dot Grayson.



Autographs

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FROM 8:30 TO 3:05







AND AFTER HOURS





Senior Class Prophecy

First we must explain why we are loose in this famous resort hotel patronized by so many of the well-known celebraties. Having fallen in love with two handsome African head-hunters, we are going on this cross-country jaunt to meet them at the Grand Canyon. We were very hospitably received by our old classmates, Wayne Gladden and Carthel' Cuthbertson, co-owners of "The Mutt and Jeff Hangover." That night we were entertained at a grand shindig in the basement of the hotel where the sweet strains of "Howl and Complain with Ike McLlain" struck us as we entered the door. Featured with this band of renown was Nina Stroud, the "hot-to-go" pianist. After we had indulged in a few toddies, the Carrigan Sisters, Jana and Elvera sang a few numbers

Startled by a commotion behind us, we saw the bouncer C. A. Frick was having a dab of trouble with weight-lifter, Wayne Bradburn, who insisted on wrapping Delano Shook around the light poles. When he found that Delano was an F. B. I. agent, he became a meek man, dropped him, and left. Our attention was then abruptly attracted by the floor-show composed of Mary Nell Tilly, Loretta Silvers, Aileen Davis, Maxine Davis, Barbara Lewis, Mildred Lonon, Joyce Young, Edith Wilson and Betty Jean Rumfelt, "The Happy Go Lovely Girls." During the entertainment, we were offered cigarettes by the cigarette girl, Vera Murdock. She almost floored the hat-check girl, Donaline Sartain, who was bringing an invite from Bobby Morris, Keith Pooser and Ronnie Ross, who were auctioning off all their worldly goods in a big sale the next day because it was necessary for them to make a trip "up the river."

When we returned to our room, we found television provided by the management. Shirley Gibson, Barbara Turner, Betty Allison, Mary Ellen Moody and Janette Mace were appearing on the Weekly Housewives Program sponsored by "Old Maids Anonymous."

The next morning we all piled on buses provided by the "Break Down Bus Line" owned by David Patterson and Frank Wright. Auction bound, on the bus we discovered Polly Seagle with her famous Toni twins. Across from us sat the famous model Esther Poole and her agent Betty Ann Bright. In the back of the bus we could hear an excited discussion from Betty Jo Pyatt, Jimmie Ruth Burnette, and Lillian Parkins on their prospects of finding new pots and pans at the auction. It seemed like old times when Bill Roland, Garland Higgins, Robert Condrey and Buddy Austin started a little music to wake up the passengers with hang-overs. Eleanor Grayson, the rich bobbie-pin heiress, was airing her furs out the windows.

Coming within "hearing" distance, we heard Dean Henline starting the auction in well paid manner. Selling anything and everything. The first purchase, which was 100 lbs. of glue, was made by Jackie Hewitt, the author of "The Life of a Gun Moll", famous for its illustrations by Jane Shiflet. The "swoon-bait" of the current movies, Donald Elliott and Doug McCras, were earnestly searching for new make-up kits.

Startled by the honking of horns, we turned to see Clarence Metcalf and Johnnie Pyatt, our bus drivers, trying in vain to stop Dorothy Anderson, Ruby Taylor, and Ann Styles from tap dancing in the middle of the road.

We saw Mary Lou Beaman browsing around in every corner hoping to find a piano for her concert tour of Europe. She finally found the one used by Barbara Fisher and Martha Steppe in their Charity floor-show in Stumptown Beer Parlour. Barbara Black, Lucille Haynes and Ruth Ann Tucker, stars of the California Dribblers, were seen looking for basketballs with orlon inner-tubing. Arnold Pyatt was also seen breezing around looking for a suitable helmet to wear on his next expedition to Ethiopia.

Joby Smith came running up so delighted with the antique furniture she had found to furnish her special box at The Yankee Stadium where she and her husband spend most of their time. About that time Roy Steppe, Ralph Hawkins, Bobby Duncan, and Guy Ellis came around with their hot-dog push carts which we hear is a

very prosperous business.

Over in the corner we saw Jerry Young and Harold Warren fighting over a pair of polka-dotted shorts which they bought to wear in their Broadway hit "Ladies Prefer Polka-Dots", produced and directed by Sid Johnston and Mickey Poteat.

We saw Sybil Minnish and her agent Mable Condrey, who are just back from entertaining the troops over-seas. We saw Jewell Finley and Mary Gouge in the pantry searching for unusual salt and pepper shakers for their collection. Minnie Jane Bowman went along with all the men to find a pup tent with which to set up housekeeping as a missionary in India. Zelda Anderson and Mary Buff, just like the typical woman, were looking for new hats.

Over on the hill we heard hounds baying, horns blowing and shot-guns blasting. A calm spectator assured us it was only Max Wall, Arnold Freshour, Roger Jimison, Wilburn Huffman, and Buddy Epley on one of the coon hunts of which

they are so fond.

We heard a loud thumping on one of the tables as Senator Hubert Martain was trying out his new gavel. Sybil Seagle, the lovely Ajax girl was buying all the soap available. Burrell Arrowood and Ray Huffman, the great industrialists of the age, were in the market for special thread which they use in the manufacturing of burlap

sacking.

The fabulous playboy Jim Ricks was seen with his charming wife who is his fifth try. They were shopping for the large economy size yacht. Later we heard that the cops Mobby Miller and Harbery Lee were having trouble with "Red" McKinney and Jack Sprinkle. They were trying to steal pink bath-tubs. As the auction went on it began to get very hot and Emma Hensley, Shirley Noles and Joyce Haynes passed out. Dr. Katheryn Long and her nurses Bonnie Godfrey and Barbara McKinney rushed to their aid and diagnosed their case as "all shot to pieces."

Patsy Nesbitt and Hope McCall were there to get new ideas for their comic strop, "Mary's Other Husband." Pearl Whisnant, Thelma Williams, and Jean Wilson were searching for bargains for their new department store. Christine Nichols was thumbing the rack for pint-sized clothes when Lady Sheriff Doris Faye Poole came around to check up on the shop-lifters. Disc-Jockey Patsy Watkins was knee deep in old records, having the "time of her life" trying them out as flying saucers. Elaine

Simpson was posing for other auction signs.

Upon arriving back at our hotel we were very much exhausted nevertheless' refreshed by our class reunion.

KATER and P. L.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

I, Sid Johnston, leave my ability to stay out of class to Harold Huffman—for relaxation on ball game days.

We, Doug McGraw and Donald Elliott leave our ability to stick together to the

next glued couple.

We, Mary Allen Poteat and Patsy Lentz, leave our floating ability in band to B-Linda Finley in hopes that her head won't be too sore.

I, Joby Smith, leave my spiked fingernails to anyone who needs protection in

basketball next year.

We, Keith Pooser and Dean Henline leave our weakness to hug girls to Travis Geouge who already has a good start.

We, Christine Nichols and Delano Shook, leave together.

We, Jim Ricks, Dean McKinney, and Mickey Poteat, leave our football career to Donnie Atkins, Roby Bolick; and Jimmy Lytle.

We, Max Wall and Roger Jimeson, leave our coons to the dogs. I, Jane Shiflet, leave my majorette position to Bobbie Landis.

We, Bill Roland and Garland Higgins, leave our ability to sing to Phifer Smith and J. C. Norman.

I, Roy Steppe, leave my beautiful handwriting to Tommy Wilson. I, Ikey McLain, leave my ability to handle cars to R. L. Carmody.

I, Arnold Pyatt, leave my brain to the next Einstein.

I. Bobby Morris, leave my scat on the bottom of the trombone section to Lynn Ross.

We, Lucille Haynes and Mary Geouge, leave our seat on the basketball bus to Ruth Styles and Sandra Mask.

I, Hubert Martin, leave my question box to Wanda Clemmer.

We, Ronnie Ross, C. A. Frick, and Wayne Gladden leave our ways with women to Eddie Shoemaker.

We, Johnny Pyatt, Buddy Epley, Robert Condrey, and Jack Sprinkle, leave our ability to drive to all future bus drivers.

·Í, Guy Ellis, leave my permanent wave to Benny Rumfelt.

I, Jerry Young, leave my crew cut to Russell Smith.

We, Arnold Freshour and Wayne Bradburn, leave our bar bells to the next Charles Atlas.

I, Carthel Cuthbertson, leave my figure to Jimmy Wall.

We, Ralph Hawkins, Harold Warren, and Bobby Duncan, leave our slow pokiness to Earl Houck.

I. Wilburn Huffman, leave my determination to Bill Long.

Wc. Frank Wright, Clarence Metcalf, and Bobby Miller, leave our boisterous ways to Dean Ennis.

We, Harvey Lee and David Patterson, leave our quiet ways to Gene Lewis.

We, Burrell Arrowood, Ray Huffman, and Buddy Austin, leave our second helpings in the lunchroom to Luther Huffman.

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